

Dr Reddy's in Gender Equality Index 2022

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Hyderabad: Pharma major Dr Reddy's Laboratories on Wednesday said it has emerged as the only pharma company from among seven Indian companies to be listed in the Gender-Equality Index (GEI) 2022. This is the fifth year in a row the company has been listed on the GEI index.

Dr Reddy's said it has received another recognition, albeit in the sustainability space, with its inclusion in S&P Global's Sustainability Yearbook 2022 for a second successive year based on the 2021 Corporate Sustainability Assessment in which the company was positioned ninth globally among pharma companies.

The 2022 GEI comprises 418 companies across 45 countries with a combined market capitalisation of \$16 trillion. The assessment framework for GEI consists of five pillars — female leadership and talent pipeline, equal pay and gender pay parity, inclusive culture, anti-sexual harassment, and pro-women brand.

Dr Reddy's Labs co-chairman & managing director GV Prasad said: "Early on, we realised that the most effective way to impact millions of patients is by empowering our people to act with agility and to do what is tough and worthwhile."